

# THE GOSHEN CONVENTION

aptist Sunday Schools in Flourishing Condition.

HAD VERY NARROW ESCAPE

Captain Smith, of Caroline, is Nearly Drowned in Crossing a Stream. Elderly Lady Found Dead in Field Near Her Home.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., July 23.—At the Goshen Baptist Sunday-school Convention, held at Trinity Church, in Louisiana county, this week, the attendance was unusually large, about 2,000 persons being present each day. The officers elected were Captain S. J. Quinn, of this city, moderator; J. G. Boxley, of Louisiana county, clerk; and Captain C. T. Smith, of Caroline county, treasurer. Reports from the various schools showed them to be in a flourishing condition, with increasing membership. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. Decatur Edwards, of this city. The next session of the convention will be held at Massaponax Church, in Spotsylvania county, ten miles from this city, where, twenty-nine years ago, the association was first organized.

Captain C. T. Smith, of Caroline, in crossing a stream in Louisiana county with his double team, came near having a serious accident. The horses became entangled in the harness, and in trying to extricate them Captain Smith jumped into the stream. He succeeded in cutting the horses loose, but in saving himself, but could not save his horse, which was killed. As it was, he lost a valuable gold watch in the stream. The same gentleman had a gold watch picked from his pocket in this city during the visit of President McKinley and his Cabinet several years ago.

The Democratic Committee of Caroline county has decided to hold a primary for the nomination of candidates for the county officers and a candidate for the House of Delegates.

Mrs. L. Haelett, an elderly lady, who lived a retired life, was found dead in a field near her home, in Spotsylvania county, a few days ago.

Mr. Randolph Howard, of this city, has sold his interests in the Lancaster National Bank, of Irvington, and the Bank of Middlesex at Urbana, representing a majority of the stock of both institutions, to the L. E. Mumford Banking Company.

## Fairmount News

Mrs. George W. Troxler visited friends on Chestnut Hill a few days ago.

The ladies of the Fairmount Baptist Church anticipate having a lawn party the first week in August. The grounds on Twenty-first Street, in Fairfield, for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society, at its regular meeting in the R. E. Lee Camp Hall a few nights ago. Manassas, Tribe, I. O. O. F. M., raised up the lot, on Twenty-first Street, in Fairfield, for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society, at its regular meeting in the R. E. Lee Camp Hall a few nights ago. Manassas, Tribe, I. O. O. F. M., raised up the lot, on Twenty-first Street, in Fairfield, for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society, at its regular meeting in the R. E. Lee Camp Hall a few nights ago.

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Little Miss Nellie, of the Garrison, of Richmond, visited her little friends, Elsie and Edith Smith, on Twenty-first Street, this week.

Mr. W. S. Johnson, of the West End, was the guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Willie Smith, at her home, on Twenty-first Street, this week.

The Sunday-school of the Fairmount Baptist Church will have their annual picnic at West Point next Wednesday, July 29th, and expect to carry a large crowd with them.

Some citizens are wondering why the dry powder chemical fire extinguishers, which were recently purchased by the town, and for which the boxes have been put in position on the poles, have not

## WITHOUT PARALLEL.

Twenty-Three Physicians Baffled for Six Years by a Case That a Change in Food Cured in Six Weeks.

There is almost miraculous power in a change of food if the right food be taken on.

A case said to be without parallel is that of a paralyzed and dumb child, whom 23 different doctors were puzzled over, yet who recovered his speech in two weeks and finally got entirely well by using the so-called food Grape-Nuts.

This child's mother was asked to tell about the case, and said: "Six years ago without a moment's warning my boy went off into convulsions. He had three the first day, and for nearly 6 years he had from 1 to 10 spasms a day. All of his limbs were paralyzed, but very severe. He lost his speech entirely, and lost the use of his legs and arms, also of his nerve centers, being paralyzed so that he was perfectly helpless and dumb. I fed him with my hands, and we had him treated by physicians in many of the large cities throughout the country, without being able to get any help at all.

"In all, 23 different physicians examined and treated my boy, and all pronounced his case without parallel in medical history, so far as they knew and beyond the reach of medical science. His bowels never moved without physic, going as long as three weeks. His lower bowels could not handle food the least bit except by physic.

"I did not seem to have a disease of any kind and as the physicians were all baffled I did not know what to do and we gave up hope. The doctors said his nerves and brain were affected and poor circulation and cerebral irritation caused his convulsions. He had no high fever, no convulsions in two weeks, as many doctors can testify.

"Now comes the wonderful part of the tale, for he had not taken Grape-Nuts one week when his bowels moved, and inside of two weeks he began to talk, only being able to say words of one syllable at first. In 6 weeks he has improved beyond comprehension and his case, which has astounded so many physicians, has completely yielded to the pure food Grape-Nuts. We lost nearly everything experimenting with different physicians and specialists, but I shall have to have Grape-Nuts for my boy if I have to beg it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

The power of the wrong food to do harm and the power of the right food to cure are realized by very few people. The power of Grape-Nuts is proved by trial. Send for particulars by mail of extension of time on the \$7,500.00 cooks' test for 75 cents prices.

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Mrs. William Woody is very much indisposed at her home on Twenty-second Street.

Miss Minnie Teske will be the guest of Mrs. Ernest Hechler, on the Mechanicsville Turnpike, during this week.

Miss Johnson's little child continues critically ill.

Mrs. Bessie Stennell, of Baltimore, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John Haynes, is now in New Kent county, visiting her mother, Mrs. John Haynes.

Miss Lottie Roney has returned home from a pleasant visit to friends at Highland Springs.

A very enjoyable hay ride, followed by a dance, at Forest Hill Park, was given in honor of Miss Dora McCann, of Walkers, Va., by her sister, Miss Mamie McCann, and a party of young friends a few evenings ago. One of Tyler's large wagons, laden with hay, was used to convey the merry party to and from the park, who enjoyed the trip to the utmost, music and song being indulged in until they reached their destination, when refreshments were served, after which dancing was indulged in until a late hour. Those participating in the pleasures of the evening were Misses Rose, Bessie, Rosalind, Nellie, Blanche, Mamie, Jackson, Lottie, Jackson, Virgie, Parker, Eunice Moore, Nellie Parker, Dora McCann, Alice Ford, Mamie McCann, and Misses Lipscomb and Holly, and Messrs. George Newman, Fred Allen, Mark Estes, Smith Leake, of Glen Allen; Peter Kidd, Clifford Davidson, Everett Yates, A. C. Atkins, Roland Parker, Clarence Parker, Julian Lumden, Thomas Adams, Esther and Kate, of the former's sister, Mrs. D. M. O'Brien, of Fourth Avenue.

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# THALHIMER'S REMODELING SALE!

ALL LOW-PRICE RECORDS SMASHED!

BEGINS TO-MORROW AT 8 O'CLOCK.

Thousands and thousands of dollars' worth of Summer Goods to be sacrificed. All goods marked at prices to make them move in a hurry, as we must give way to carpenters in a few days.

## Wash Goods Panic

Prices Cut in Half, and This Means Easy Buying. Thousands of Yards of the Season's Newest for You to Pick From To-Morrow.

50c. Dotted and Striped Mulls and Oxford for 25c. yard.  
12c. Madras Cheviots for 8 1-3c. yard.  
12c. Madras Gingham for 7c. yard.  
12c. Fine Percales for 8 1-3c. yard.  
25c. Mercerized Gingham for 12c. yard.  
32-inch Fine Madras Gingham, a 25c. value, for 12c. yard.  
25c. Figured French Organdies for 12c. yard.  
All 12c. Lawns now 8 1-3c. yard.  
25c. Linen Suitings for 6c. yard.  
12c. Striped Linen Suitings for 6c. yard.  
25c. Challies now 12c. yard.  
35 and 25c. Linen and Oxford Suitings for 16 2-3c. yard.  
50c. Oxford Waists for 25c. yard.  
\$1.00 Black and Colored Grenadines now 75c. yard.

## Stock Reduction Sale of Men's Furnishings

**Shirt Bargains**  
50c. Fancy Madras Shirts, each..... 29c  
50c. Men's Working Shirts, each..... 17c  
50c. Neat Effect Madras Shirts, each..... 42c  
\$1 Columbia and Faultless Negligee Shirts, each..... 69c  
50c. "Mother's Friend" Boys' Shirt Waist..... 37c

**Neckwear Bargains**  
50c. Fancy Shield and Band Bows, each..... 10c  
50c. Efficacy Four-in-Hand, each..... 21c  
50c. White Bat Wing and Butterfly Ties..... 15c  
50c. Neckwear, now, choice..... 39c

**Collar Specials**  
50c. Rubber Collars, "Ar-lington," for..... 20c  
12c. Linen Collars, eight lots, for..... 5c

**Underwear Bargains**  
25c. Short Sleeve Balbriggan Shirts..... 19c  
\$1 White Lisle Thread Shirts..... 50c  
50c. Long Sleeve Balbriggan Shirts..... 25c  
\$1 "Oils" Colored Lisle Thread Underwear, in suits, each..... 50c

**Suspender Sale**  
25c. Suspenders, per pair, for..... 15c  
15c. Suspenders, per pair, for..... 8c  
25c. Men's Garters, per pair..... 19c

**Men's Hosiery Bargains**  
50c. Fancy Hose, two lots, per pair..... 17c  
25c. Fancy Hose, per pair, for..... 9c

## Prices Collapse ON Ready-made Garments

Our Millinery Department has been removed and, wishing to devote the entire Second Floor to Ready-Made Garments, we have cut prices to make our stock move in a hurry.

**Silk Shirtwaist Suits**  
Our entire stock of White China Silk Suits, Plain and Changeable Taffeta Suits and Imported Pongee Suits at a sacrifice.  
All our \$15 Silk Suits \$10.00  
\$25 and \$22.50 Silk Suits reduced to..... \$15.00

**Silk Coats**  
Pongee Silk Coffee Coats \$5.00  
\$7.50 values, reduced to..... \$5.00  
Taffeta and Peau de Soie Box Coats, \$10.00 Coats, reduced to..... \$7.50  
\$12.50 Coats reduced to..... \$10.00  
\$15 and \$10 Silk Etons reduced to \$7.50 and..... \$5.00

**Shirt Waist Reductions**  
Sheer White Lawn Waists, trimmed with white Swiss embroidery and tucks, variety of styles, \$3 and \$4.50 Waists, reduced to..... \$2.48  
Pongee Silk Waists, the popular broad tuck effect, also yoke effect, piped with light blue wash silk, \$2 and \$4.50 values, reduced to..... \$3.98  
Odd and End Shirt-Waists, all good styles, at give-away prices—Waists, former prices \$1 to \$2, reduced to..... 50c  
Waists, former prices \$2 and \$3.45, reduced to..... 75c  
Waists, former prices, \$3.45 to \$4.50, reduced to..... 98c

**Bathing Suits**  
Supply yourself with a Bathing Suit, which will be cheaper than cost of hire.  
All the new styles, Black and Navy Mohair, trimmed with white and red, short sleeves, full skirt, \$7.50 large sailor collar, \$2 to..... \$7.50

**Colored Silk Madras Waists**, former prices \$1 to \$2.50, reduced to..... 50c  
Black Lawn and Dimity Waists, tucked in clusters front and back, perpendicular tucks, all \$2 and \$1.50 Waists, reduced to..... \$1.00  
White Madras Waists, plain back, tucked front, forming yoke, fastens at the side, a perfect fitting, \$1.50 waist, regular \$1.48 waist for..... \$1.00  
White Madras Waists, plain back, broad tucks in front, trimmed in large pearl buttons, dainty turnover collar and cuffs, made in the newest styles, regular \$1.25 waist, special \$1.48 for..... \$1.48

**Good Skirt Bargains**  
White Linen Lawn Skirts, trimmed with graduated flounces, \$3.48 skirts, reduced to..... \$2.48  
Heavy White Irish Linen Skirts, strapped seams; \$5 skirts reduced to..... \$3.98  
Irish Linen Skirts, trimmed with cluny lace and embroidery, \$7.48 skirts reduced to..... \$5.00  
Black Cloth Skirts, 7 gored, taffeta trimmed on train; \$5 skirts reduced to..... \$3.48  
Odd and End Dress and Walking Skirts, former prices \$5 to \$7.50, reduced to..... \$3.48  
Odd and End Evening Skirts, all good styles, former prices \$7.50 to \$12.50, reduced to..... \$5.00

**Wrappers Slaughtered**  
All-Summer Wrappers Regard- less of Cost.  
\$1 and \$1.25 Wrappers reduced 75c  
\$1.48 Wrappers reduced \$1.00  
\$2.45 and \$1.08 Wrappers re- duced to..... \$1.48

## Remodeling Sale of Linens

Prices Slashed on Celebrated Irish and German Makes of Linens.

\$2 per yard best 8-4 Irish Damask, now..... \$1.48  
\$1.50 per yard best 8-4 Irish and German Damask, now..... \$1.19  
\$1.25 per yard best 8-4 Irish Damask, now..... 98c  
\$1 per yard best 8-4 Irish Damask, now..... 83c  
50c. per yard best 68-inch Irish Damask, now..... 75c  
75c. per yard best 68-inch Irish Damask, now..... 62c  
60c. per yard best 70-inch Irish Damask, now..... 50c  
\$1.25 each—Finest Damask and Huck Towels. (These goods are very superior and cost \$12.00 per dozen.)  
\$1 Towels..... 69c  
75c. Towels..... 55c  
60c. Towels..... 45c  
We have in addition a good many Table Sets of Cloth and Napkins to match, which you will find with similar low prices attached.

\$7.50 dozen 3-4 Irish Napkins, now..... \$5.00  
\$5 dozen 3-4 Irish Napkins, now..... \$3.50  
\$4 dozen 3-4 Irish Napkins, now..... \$2.98  
\$3 dozen 3-4 Irish Napkins, now..... \$2.25  
\$2.50 dozen 3-4 Irish Napkins, now..... \$1.98  
\$2 dozen 22-inch Irish Napkins, now..... \$1.69  
\$1.75 dozen 22-inch Irish Napkins, now..... \$1.48  
\$1.50 per yard 10-4 Linen Sheet, now..... \$1.39  
\$1.50 per yard 10-4 Linen Sheet, now..... \$1.19  
\$1.25 per yard 10-4 Linen Sheet, now..... 98c  
\$1 per yard 10-4 Linen Sheet, now..... 89c  
Russian Crash, all linen and hand-made, the best thing for its looks in the world, used for the kitchen and pantry..... 73c

## Sale of Muslin Underwear.

40 styles Corset Covers, embroidered and lace trimmed, blouse and light-fitting.  
\$1.00 values for 80c.  
80c. values for 75c.  
75c. values for 60c.  
60c. values for 50c.  
Special 35c. Corset Covers, 25c.  
Special 25c. Corset Covers, 15c.  
Special 15c. Corset Covers, 2 for 25c.

Slightly soiled Cambric and Nainsook Gowns:  
\$1.50 ones for \$1.00.  
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\$1.00 ones for \$1.00.  
Long, Wide Embroidery Trimmed Cambric Skirts:  
\$1.25 ones for 80c.  
\$1.00 ones for 60c.

her home, in Charlottesville, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Alfriend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Wendenburg have left for Baltimore and from there will go to Atlantic City on a pleasure trip.

Mrs. Calvin Gregory, who has been quite sick at the home of Mrs. S. E. F. Johnson, has returned to her home in Baltimore from a visit to Miss Jones.

The base-ball club on Barton Heights, called the Invincible Imperials, has disbanded, owing to the non-payment of dues by its members. Messrs. Boone, Rose, Croxton, Leak and Ware have signed with the Northside Stars.

Mr. Richard Cook is extremely ill at the home of his husband, Dr. G. T. Collins, at Highland Springs. He is the physician in attendance.

Much sympathy is extended to the afflicted family of Mr. W. J. Trice, who on Friday the 17th inst. died, after a long and painful illness. Mr. Trice was a young man of many sterling qualities, and won many friends, and his residence, No. 1000 N. 10th Street, The church of the home of his sister, Mrs. W. M. McEwen.

Mrs. Gilmer, of Baltimore, accompanied by Mrs. Adams, Esther and Katie, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Gilmer's mother, Mrs. Silver.

Master Eddie Miller has gone on a pleasure trip to Philadelphia and vicinity, where he is visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Florence Davis and her sister, Miss Genevieve Davis, have returned home from a pleasant visit to Richmond.

Miss Julia Ruppert, of Richmond, visited her friend, Mrs. S. S. Piogo, during the week.

Walter Brauer, a prosperous citizen of this place, has begun the erection of a new home on the site of the old place, which was destroyed by fire last winter. The new residence is to contain eleven rooms, and will be thoroughly modern in every detail.

Mr. Hechler's house look quite fine in its new coat of paint. It is a fine job, and speaks well for the party who did the work, whoever he may be.

The Sunday-school Committee is as yet undecided in regard to the annual picnic.

## Barton Heights.

Mrs. J. E. C. Lashley and children, of Raleigh, N. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leach.

Mrs. M. D. Goddin is quite sick at her home, in Brookland Park.

Mrs. G. K. Pollock and daughter, Cornelia, of Richmond, who have been spending the summer at Ocean View, have returned to the beach, after a visit to her mother, Mrs. G. J. Davidson.

F. E. Davison expects to leave Sunday for Norfolk and Newport News, Va., to visit friends.

Mr. John Nichols, of Pennsylvania, is visiting Miss Blonnie Harris, of Meadow Bridge Road.

Mr. Mason Garber has returned to his home in Brooklyn, after a visit to his aunt, Mrs. C. G. Satterwhite.

The bazaar given by the members of the Episcopal choir Thursday evening, was a grand success and quite a large sum was realized.

Mr. S. P. Jones, who is visiting in New York, will return home in a few days.

Miss Ethel Smith has left for Orange and will be home to visit friends.

Mrs. S. P. Jones and daughter will leave this week for a short visit to relatives in Chesterfield county.

Mrs. Charles Dabney and daughter, Miss Page, who have been visiting Miss Mary Dabney, of Brookland Park, have returned for a week's stay with friends in Hanover.

Mrs. James Parkinson, who has been visiting Mrs. T. W. Johnson, near the Seminary, has left for New York.

Mr. W. H. Cosby will leave soon for a visit to his daughter, in Amelia.

Mr. John Tucker, of Albemarle, is visiting Mrs. Thomas Staudt, who has left on a business trip to Baltimore.

Miss May, who has been visiting Miss Nuckolls, of Petersburg, has returned to her home on Meadow Bridge Road.

Mrs. John Benson, of Fairmount, is visiting Miss Myrtle Tucker, of Meadow Bridge Road.

Miss Grace Britton, of Portsmouth, who has been visiting Mrs. Agnes Cowardin, has returned to her home.

Miss Virginia Alfriend has returned to

## Chestnut Hill and Highland Park

Mrs. Quimby and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Quimby, of Third Avenue, left on Thursday last to visit relatives in New Jersey.

Miss Daisy Perkins and her friend, Miss Jane Taylor, of Baltimore, are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. D. M. O'Brien, of Fourth Avenue.

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## SEVEN PINES.

On the fifth Sunday in August the pastor, Rev. J. F. Cuthrell, expects to start a series of meetings at Boulah M. Church, Rev. N. R. Smith, of Windsor, Va., will assist at these meetings.

The third quarterly conference of Seven Pines church will be held at Boulah Church (Charles City Road) on Monday, 27th instant, at 3 P. M. All the members of the conference and their friends are urged to be present. The presiding elder, Rev. R. H. Bennett, will preach the following Sunday at 3 P. M.—August 2d.

There was a very quiet home wedding on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lyne, when Miss Jessie Poland, of Indianapolis, Ind., became the wife of James E. Lyne.

Miss Poland is a most attractive young lady of the brunette type, and has for a short time been the guest of Miss Carrie Lyne, a sister of the groom. Mr. Lyne is very popular among his associates, and holds a responsible position in the mercantile world. The bride wore a most becoming toilette of blue foulard trimmed in white, with hat to match.

After the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. J. F. Cuthrell, the newly wedded pair left for their future home in Kentucky.

Mrs. R. A. Reid is quite ill at her home here.

Mrs. Ira Watson continues ill with

## FORT LEE.

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Miss May Bendie, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bendie, was united to Mr. Charles E. Whitlock, by the Rev. J. F. Cuthrell. Miss Nellie Bendie, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor.

The bride is a very pretty blonde, looked exceedingly lovely in the conventional wedding gown of purest white, a lady of charming personality, who numbers her friends by the score. Mr. Whitlock is an operator for the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left on a wedding trip to Columbia and Cincinnati. O. Upon their return they will make their home in Fulton.

Mrs. Isaac Tresler entertained a number of friends the past week at her home, in a truly hospitable manner. Ice cream and cake were served during the evening, which was very much enjoyed.

Among those present were Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Duke, Mrs. Waldon, Miss Mamie Watkins, Miss Nellie Duke, Messrs. Bernard and Philip Duke and Harry Morgan.

The Misses Conrad entertained a few friends at the home of their parents on Friday evening, when music and games were indulged in. Refreshments were served in abundance and enjoyed by

## ELKO NOTES.

Mrs. Willie Baker, of Richmond, spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. W. C. Baker, of this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowers and baby have returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives in Petersburg.

A party of people from this neighborhood went on an excursion to West Point Thursday.

Robert Jelly, of Richmond, is visiting friends at Elko.

## A Good Home.

Ten minutes from Broad Street; 5 cent fare; slate roof, water, sewers; 100 feet front—\$2,500; beautiful place; photo at office.

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WE'RE now in the midst of that busy time of the year—inventory time—and we've found lots of rockers, chairs, etc., of which we only have one or a few of. They must go, and we've cut the price of every one. We've put a lot of them in our big window. Stop by and look 'em over. It's dollars to doughnuts you'll buy when you see the kind of goods and the prices.

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